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## **AMENDMENT**

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated January 15, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 1-7 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please add new Claims 8-14 as follows:

8. (New)

8. (New) A data and telecommunications transmission method configured to

transmit a plurality of data streams between a receiving terminal and a transmitting terminal via at least one fixed network and another network, the another network comprising links with variable bandwidth and quality, and the fixed network being controlled by a resource

reservation protocol, the method comprising:

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